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FOR: INFORMATION SERVICE METHOD, INFORMATION SERVICE UNIT, RECORDING OR REPRODUCING CONTROLLING METHOD, AND RECORDING AND/OR REPRODUCING **UNIT**

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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SIR:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated December 15, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.